6,000 12-pounder Solid Shot, 8,000 12-pennder Shell, and

Drawings can be seen at any of the United States Arsenals.

giver. Failures to make deliveries at a speci-fied time will subject the contractor to a for-

ecuting the work proposed for.

Should any party obtaining a contract offer shell other than those cast in his own foundry, they will be rejected, and the contract rendered null and

the contract may be awarded.

PROPOSALS FOR FORAGE.

Sealed Proposals are invited by the undersigned Bidders must state at which of the above-named points they propose to make deliveries, and the rates at which they will make deliveries thereat, the quantity of each article proposed to be delivered, the time when said deliveries shall be commenced, and when to be completed. The price must be written out in words on the Corn to be up in good stout sacks, of about

two bushels each. Oats in like sacks of about three oushels each. The sacks to be furnished without extra charge to the Government. The hay and straw to be securely baled.

The particular kind or description of cats, corn, hay or straw proposed to be delivered most be

sible bidds , or the person to whom the contract may be awarded.

The responsibility of the guarantors must be shown by the official certificate of a U.S. District

The full name and P.O., address of each bidder must be legibly written in the proposal. Proposals must be addressed to Brig. Gen. D. H. Rucker, Chief Depot Quartermaster, Washington, D. C., and should be plainly marked "Proposals for Forage." Bonds, in a sum equal to the amount of the con-

tract, signed by the contractor and both, of his guaranters, will be required of the success at bidder or hidders upon signing the contract.

Blark forms of bids, guarantees, and bonds, may be obtained upon application at this Office. FORM OF PROPOSAL.

1, the subscriber, do hereby propose to furnish and deliver to the United States, at the Quartermaster's Papartment at —, agreeably to the terms of your advertisement inviting proposals for forage, dated Washington Depot, Dec. 8, 1863.

32 pounds Delivery to commence on or before the pounds.

Brigadier General D. H. RUCKER.

the contract may be awarded. Witness. Given under our hands and seals this --I hereby certify that, to the best of my knowl-

sible person known to this office.

D. H. RUCKER,

dec 9-1f Brigadier General and Q. M.

PERCY'S METALLURGY, IRON AND STEEL London, 1864.
Phillip's Metallurgy, London.
Percy's Metallurgy, Copper, Zine, Brass, &c.

PROPOSALS FOR PURCHASE OF WHEAT

AND RYE.

HEADQUARTERS DEP'T OF WASHINGTON.

OFFICE OF CHIEF QUARTERMASTER,

WASHINGTON. July 26, 1964.

SEALED PROPOSAITS will be received at this office until the 2th day of August uext for the purchase of Five 'housand Bushels (more or less) of the best Red Mediterranean WHEAT, and Fifteen Hundred Bushels (more or less) of the best quality RYE, raised on the Government farms south of the Potomac. The grain to be delivered in this city or Georgetown, to the party whose bid may be accepted, within thirty days from the acceptance of the bid.

Proposals will be endorsed "Proposals for the purchase of Wheat and Rye." and addressed to the undersigned ELIAS M. GREENE,

Lieut. Colonel, Chief Quartermaster,

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ORDNANCE OFFICE. WAR DEPARTMENT, Washington, D. C., July 14, 1864.
Sealed Proposals will be received at this onice

Sealed Proposals will be received at this office until WEDNESDAY, August 3, 1864, at 4 o'clock p. m. for furnishing the following Ordnance:

50 lo-inch Siege Mortars.

50 8 inch Siege Mortars.

50 Coehom Mortars, bronze.

These mortars and howitzers are to be made in conformity with the descriptors and specifications. conformity with the drawings and specifications to be furnished by the Ordnance Department, and are to be submitted to the usual inspections and provings before being received by the United States. The inspection will be made at the foundry where cast.

Deliveries must be at the following rates, viz: Not less than two mortars or howitzers on or be-fore the 3 th day of September, 1864, and at a rate of not less than four mortars or howitzers per week thereafter until the entire number contracted for is delivered.

Failure to make deliveries at a specified time will subject the contractor to a forfeiture of the right to deliver the number he may fail to deliver Separate proposals must be made for each ar-No b ds will be received from parties other than found its or proprietors of works, who are known to the Department to be capable of executing in their own foundries the work proposed for. The siege mortars and howitzers are to be cast hellow, and cooled from the interior.

Forms of bids can be obtained at this office, or at any of the following arsenals, viz: Alleghany, Frankford, New York, Watertown, Watervliet,

Washington, or St. Louis.

considered: GUARANTY. The bidder will be required to accompany his proposition with a guaranty signed by two responsible persons, that in case his bid is accepted he will at once execute the contract for the same, with good and sufficient sureties, in a sum equal to the amount of the contract, to deliver the articles proposed in conformity with the terms of ticles proposed, in conformity with the terms of this advertisement; and in case the said bidder should fail to enter into the contract, they to make good the difference between the offer of said bidder and the next responsible bidder, or the person to whom the contract may be awarded. The responsibility of the guarantors must be shown by the official certificate of the Clerk of the nearest District Court, or of the United States District Bonds in a sum equal to the amount of the contract, signed by the contractor and both of his guaranters, will be required of the successful bidder or bidders upon signing the contract.

Proposals not made out on this form-will not be

FORM OF GUARANTY. We, the undersigned, residents of —, in the county of —, and State of —, hereby jointly and severally covenant with the United States, and good the difference between the offer of the said ____ and the next lowest responsible bidder, or the person to whom the contract may be awarded Given under our hands and seals this -day

To this guaranty must be appended the official certificate above mentioned.

Upon the award being made, successful bidders will be notified and furnished with forms of con-The Department reserves the right to reject any or all the bids, if deemed unsatisfactory on any tract and bond. Proposals will be addressed to "Brigadier General George D. Ramsay, Chief of Ordnance, Washington, D. C.,"and will be endorsed "Proposals for Siege Mortars, Siege Howitzers, or Coehom ge Mortars, Siego be.
s." as the case may be.
GEO. D. RAMSAY, Brigadier General,
Chief of Ordnance.

fy 15-eo9t PROPOSALS FOR MALLEABLE IRON CAV

ORDNANCE OFFICE, WAR DEPARTMENT. WASHINGTON, July 14, 1864. Sealed Proposals will be received at this office until Saturday, August 20. 1864, at 4 o'clock p. m., for the delivery at the following points of the undermentioned quantities of malleable iron trimmings for cavalry equipments:
At the New York Agency, New York, 20,000 sets,
At the Frankford Arsenal, 10,000 sets,
At the Alleghany Arsenal, 20,000 sets,

At the Miegnany Arsenal, 20,000 sets,
At the St. Louis Arsenal, 10,000 sets,
Each set is to consist of the numbers of each
kind of buckle, square, ring, bolt, stud, and loop
now prescribed, except that two of the D rings in
each set are to be made of the new pattern, with
stop, according to the model to be seen at the
above arsenals. The castings are to be made of the
hest quality of melleable iron, the tongenes of the best quality of malleable iron, the tongues of the buckles of the best clock wire. The dimensions of the cleaned castings and the finish and dimen-sions of the buckle-tongues and rollers must conform strictly to the standard gauges, which will be applied before japanning. After being thor-oughly cleaned, and freed from all sprues and irregularities, they are to be japanned in the best The goods are to be put up in papers in the usual manner, and packed, two hundred complete sets in a box of a quality, and marked as may be prescribed by the inspecting officer.

The work is to be subject to inspection at the

manufactory in all stages of its progress, and no goods are to be received or paid for which have not passed inspection.
Deliveries are to be made as follows: Bidders will state the arsenal or arsenals where they propose to deliver, and the number of sets they propose to deliver at each place, if for more than one. Failures to make deliveries at a specified time will subject the contractor to a forfe of the number he may fail to deliver at that time. No bids will be received from parties other than regular manufacturers of the arcticles proposed

for, and who are known to this Department to be capable of executing in their own shops the work Forms of bids can be obtained at the above-named arsenals. Proposals not made out on this form will not be considered.

GUARANTY The bidder will be required to accompany his proposition with a guaranty, signed by two re-sponsible persons, that, in case his bid be accepted, he will at once execute the contract for the same, with good and sufficient sureties, in a sum equal to the amount of the contract, to deliver the articles proposed, in conformity with the terms of this advertisement; and in case the said bidder should fail to enter into the contract, they the material good the difference between the said to make good the difference between the offer of said bidder and the next responsible bidder, or the person to whom the contract may be awarded.

The responsibility of the guaranters must be shown by the official certificate of the Clerk of the nearest District Court, and the United States Dis-Bonds in the sum equal to the amount of the contract, signed by the contractor and both of his guarantors, will be required of the successful bidder or bidders upon signing the contract.

FORM OF GUARANTY. We, the undersigned, residents of county of —, and State of —, hereby tointly and severally covenant with the United States, and guarantee, in case the foregoing bid of — be accepted, that he er they will at once execute the contract for the same, with good and sufficient sureties, in a sum equal to the amount of the contract, to furnish the articles proposed in conformity with the terms of this advertisement, dated July 14. 1864, under which the bid was made; and, in case the said — — shall fail to enter into a contract as aforesaid, we guarantee to make good the difference between the offer of the said ____ and the next lowest responsible bidder, or the person to whom the contract may be awarded.

Given under our hands and seals

Witness: ?this -- day of ---, 186-. To this guaranty must be appended the official

rtificate above mentioned. Each party obtaining a contract will be obliged to enter into bonds, with approve the faithful execution of the same. bonds, with approved sureties, for Upon the award being made, successful bidders will be notified and furnished with forms of contract and bond. The Department reserves the right to reject any

or all the bids, if deemed unsatisfactory on any account.
Proposals will be addressed to "Brigadier General George D. Bamsay, Chief of Ordnance. Washington. D. C.," and will be endorsed "Proposals for Malleable Iron Cavalry Trimmings."
GEORGE D. RAMSAY, Brigadier General, ty 15-cotd Chief of Ordnance.

PROPOSALS FOR RECONSTRUCTING FURNACES AT THE CAPITOL.

Office of the Commissioner of Public Buildings, ! Sealed Proposals will be received at this office for reconstructing five furnaces under the Capitol, until MONDAY, the 8th day of August next, at Said furnances to be of No. —, best Keister box furnaces, built in the best manner. Any of the old material now in the old furnaces that can be old material now in the old furnaces that can be advantageously used in constructing the new ones is to be used, and persons desiring to bid are invited to call any day between this and the 8th of Angust, upon Mr J. W. Angus general Superintendent, who will show them the furnaces and make any desired explanation.

B. B. FRENCH.

Jy 29-td Commissioner of Public Buildings.

MEDICAL PURVEYOR'S OFFICE,

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 15, 1864.

All dealers in this city and Georgetown, who wish to sell to the Medical Purveying Department, are requested to send to this office, on the MONDAY of each week, a sealed list of the articles they may be prepared to furnish, at short notice, with the price of each attached to the same.

C. SUTHERLAND,

Je 16-tf Surg. U. S. A., Medical Purveyor.

Pianos.—We have received this day, 4 Pianos of Steinway & Sons, and 5 of Haines Brothers, also, several Melodeons, which we offer for sale at the lowest factory prices. Several second hand Pianos upon easy terms. terms.
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Especially, who have become the victims of Soli-tary Vice, that dreadful and destructive habit which annually sweeps to an untimely grave thousands of Young Men of the most exalted talent and brilliant intellect, who might otherwise have entranced lis-tening Senates with the thunders of eloquence or waked to extacy the living lyre, may call with full

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All impediments to marriage, Physical or Mental Disgnalifications Loss of Progressive Power Ner-Disqualifications, Loss of Procreative Power, Nervous Irritability, Tremblings, and Weakness, er Exhaustion of the most fearful kind, speedily

and ears when askeep great nervousness, be alarmed at sudden sounds, bashfulness, with frequent blushing, attended sometimes with derangement of mind, were cured immediately. YOUNG MEN who have injured themselves by a certain practice

ately.

What a pity that a young man, the hope of his country and darling of his parents, should be snatched from all the prospects and enjoyments of life by the consequence of deviation from the path of nature and indulging in a certain secret habit.

Such persons must, before contemplating

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reflect that a sound mind and body are the most necessary requisites to promote communial happi ness indeed. Without these the journey through life becomes a weary pilgrimage; the prespect hourly darkens to the view; the mind becomes shadowed with despair and filled with the melan-

choly reflections that the happiness of another is DISEASES OF IMPRUDENCE. When the misguided and imprudent votary of pleasure finds he has imbibed the seeds of this painful disease, it often happens that an ill-timed sense of shame or dread of discovery deters him from applying to those whe, from education and respectability can alone befriend bim. He falls into the hands of ignorant and designing pretenders, who, incapable of curing, filch his pecuniary substance. the smallest fee can be obtained, and in despair leave him with ruined health to sigh over his gall-ing disappointment; or, by the use of that deadly

poison. Mercury, hasten the constitutional symptoms of this terrible disease, such as Affections of the Head, Throat, Nose, Skin, etc., progressing with frightful rapidity until death puts an end to his dreadful sufferings by sending him to that un-discovered country from whose bourne no traveled returns. OFFICE 7 SOUTH FREDERICK STREET, left hand side going from Baltimore street, a few doors from the corner. Fail not to observe name and number

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pleasure, or the duties of married life; also middle aged or old men ho, from the follies of youth or other causes, fe. a debility in advance of their years, before placing themselves under the treatment of any one, should first read "THE SECRET FRIEND." Married Ladies will learn something of importance by perusing "The Secret Friend," Sent to any address, in a sealed envelope on receipt of Ten Cents. Address

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CLEVELAND'S HINTS TO RIFLEMEN.

Questions and enswers on Musketry, part 2;
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THE EVENING STAR.

POSTOR REPORTS - Second Presinct - R. Ruth-Well, selling whisky to soldiers; \$20. A. H. Besson, concealed weapons; \$20. Rose Dudley, R. Carrol, de.; Helen Jenning, disorderly; dismissed. Alex Smith, fast riding; \$5. Wm. Wood, disorderly; \$2. Elizabeth Wood, do.; 9 John McClenan, having a stolen horse; Michael Lineley, assault and battery; dismissed. J. S. Sergent, fighting; Emily Baris, Dora Balley, disorderly; \$3 each. John Gatley, selling whisky to soldiers; \$25. Francis

Baker, kirceny: dismissed. Third Precinct .- Margaret Harris, disorderly; 32.44. Alexander Curtis, do.; \$1.44. Arthur Ferguson, do.; dismissed. Martha Jordon, do.; \$3 44. Samuel Parker, Sam'l Booth, do , \$2.11 each. Lucy Fobs, do.; \$1.44. Rudolp Ullmer, do., \$2 44. John O'Toole, assault and battery; dismissed. John Dorsey, selling liquor with-out license; \$21.25. Michael Casey, threats; bail for peace. Thomas Brown, drunk and disorderly; \$2.50. Charles Rohm, do.; \$2.41. James Green and William Smith, violating ordinance of Levy Court; \$2.45 each. Jerry Jones, do.; dismissed. Anna Kirk, disorderly; dismissed. James Lyden, do.; \$5 18. Martha Hall, drunk; dismissed. Mary Harroe and Margaret Curtis, disorderly; \$1.44 each. Lucy Grey and Margaret Harris, do.; \$1.50 each. Catharine Gant, do.; workhouse. Mary Gately, drunk and disorderly; workhouse. C. W. Eurnham, soldiers drinking in his house; \$2. Fourth Precinct.-Barbara Burly, Elizabeth Rounds, disorderly; \$2 each. August Krov :- , drunk and disorderly; military. Marg't Dasey, do . James McGlaughlin, drunk: workhouse. Peter McDonough, do.; \$2. Mathew Donelson, Timothy Dorrity, Julia Dorrity, desorderly; \$2 each. French Graham, do.; 45.
Julia Lynch, Mary O'Shea, do.; workhouse.

Jesse Mackabee, do.; \$3. Sixth Precinct.—Washington Lee, drunk, \$! M. Willian, assault and battery, dismissed; H. P. Young, suspicious character; George Lynch, wasting water: Richard Steward, disorderly; Wm. Phill, do., dismissed; Lucy Marshall, Mary Smith, Mary Williams, Elizabeth Smith, do., workhouse: Richard Barlow, fighting, 82; Wm. E. Miller, attempted rape, jail for court; Thos. Bell, drunk and discreerly, \$2; Robt. Gair, Juo. Welch, Patrick Coridan, Jno. Mulligan, John Skeehan, James Cox, John Roach, playing ball on Sunday, for trial; John Brook, disorderly, \$1; James Williams, assault and battery, bail for peace; Jane Bradford, forcibly detaining goods, bail for court; Caroline Reath, disorderly, workhouse; T. J. Harding, grand larceny, dismissed; Charles Mall, larceny; Jas. Ringeld, do., jail for a hearing; S. T. Cunningham, drunk and disorderly, \$5.91; T. D. Stanton, disorderly, \$5.91; John Smith, drunk, \$1. Tenth Precinct .- Joseph Carson, fighting: \$3. John Montgomery, do.; \$5. John McCabe, selling liquor unlicensed; dismissed. G. W. Sanford, threats; bail for peace. Geo. Brausell, do ; dismissed Orion Emersoft deserter; and Thomas Frazier, drunk; military. sephine Parrient, grand larceny; jail for hearing. John Williams, disorderly: dismissed. Kate Foley, do. and drunk; workhouse. Wm. Black, deserter; military. Emma Elizabeth, larceny: deferred. Charles Brown, Obediah Piefer, Frank P. Bradley, Cornelius Kenney, Michael Driscoll, desertion: military. Joseph Fonetain, insanity; deterred. Thomas Green, larcenve jail for court. Dennis Brown, drank and disorderly; dismissed. Kate Foley, do.; St. M. Gibtin, do.; dismissed. John Casey, assault and battery; bail for court.

OFFICIAL.

Office of Provost Marshal and Board of Enrollment of District of Columbia, Washington, D. C., June 21, 1864. For convenience of Government employees of Columbia will hear cases of exemption on the ground of non-residence, at their office, corper of Lighteenth and I streets, from 7% to Captain First Regiment V. R. C. and Provost Marshal D. O.

Headquarters Provest Marshal and Board of Enrollment of District of Columbia, Washington, D. C., June 3, 1864. The Board of Euroilment of the District of Columbia will be in session at the office of the Provost Marshal District of Columbia, corner of Fourteenth street and New York avenue, daily (Sundays excepted) from 11 o clock a.m. to 2 o clock p. m., for the purpose of hearing cases of exemption from draft for the following causes, viz:

Alienage: Non-residence;

Unenitableness of age; Manifest permanent physical disability; and Two years' service during the present war, eitner in the army or navy.

Offizens are requested to furnish information se to persons who are not enrolled, or who are trying to avoid enrollment, as it is equally for the interest of each person enrolled to piace upon the "Enrollment List" all persons liable to do military duty, so that his own chance for draft shall not be unjustly increased. J. C. PUTNAM,

Captain 1st regiment V. R. Corps, and Provost Marshal of the Instrict of Columbia. War Department, Adjutant treneral's Office, !

Washington, March 17, 1964. All applications for leaves of absence or permission to visit Washington must be addressed to Major General Haileck, Chief of Staff, and must specify the business for which the officer desires the permission Telegrams addressed direct to the Secretary of War on this subject will receive no attention.

By order of the Secretary of War: E. D TOWNSEND, Assisunt Adjutant General.

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PROPOSALS.

DROPOSALS FOR PINE WOOD. Chief Quartermaster's Office, Washington Depot, Washington, D. C. August 1, 1864.
Sealed Proposals for the delivery, at this depot of ave hundred (500) cords of Pine Wood will be received at this office until THURSDAY, August 11. 1864 at 12 o'clock m. The wood to be bard, sound and merchantable

Pine Wood to be hard, sound and increasing the Wood four (4) feet long, and split to the ordinary size of cord wood.

The wood to be delivered at such points in this city, as the Depot Quartermaster shall direct, on or before October 1st, 1864, corded in ranks four (4) feet bight delivers not being considered complete. feet bigs; delivery not being considered complete until measured inspected and so corded.

An inspector will be designated on the part of the Government to inspect and measure the wood, and such as does not conform to the above speci-fications will be rejected

Bonds in a sum equal to the amount of the contract, signed by the contractor and two responsible persons the same to be certified to by some officer of the Contractor and two responsibles are to be certified to by some officer. of the Covernment well known to this office will be required of the successful bidder or bidders upon signing the contracts. Payment to be made upon signing the contracts. Fayment to be made upon the delivery and acceptance of the whole amount of wood contracted for.

The right to reject any or all bids that may be deemed too high is reserved by the Depot Quarter-Proposals must be addressed to the undersigned.

wood "DH. RUCKER,
Brigadier General and Chief Quartermaster,
au 1-10td Depot of Washington. TROPOSALS FOR HORSE EQUIPMENTS.

ORDNANCE OFFICE, WAR DEPARTMENT, Washington, D. C., July 28, 1814 (
Proposals will be received by this Department
until August 12th, 1814, at 4 p m., for the delivery
at the following arsenals of Horse Equipments, at the following arsenals of Horse Equipments, United States cavairy pattern, as hereinafter

At the New York Arsenal, 10 000.

Frankfort 6,000.
Allegbany 6,000.
St. Louis 3,000. These sets of horse equipments are to be furnished complete, with the exception of horse brush, chrrycomb, lasiat, picket pin, link, nose bags, spurs and straps blarkets, watering bridle, and sweat leather. The curb bits and stirrups are to conform strictly in pattern and finish to those deposited at the above-named arsenals. The malleable iron trimmings are to be japanned. The trees are to be of the regulation pattern, assorted sizes retless then 32 inches between the bars on sizes, rotless than 3½ inches between the bars on the inside of the nommel; the site bars of bacd white wood or beech; the pommel and carties of beech, well put toge her. All the irons are to be one-tenth of an inch thick, and all 1-t info the wood, to be covered with the best slaughtered cow hide. All other coverings will be rejected. The helters are to be rivered with twelve No. 12. The halters are to be riveted with twelve No. 12 copper rivets, as shown in samples. The bridle rein is to be seven eighths of an inch wide, and rein is to be seven eighths of an inch wide, and made as per sample. The girth strapping to be riveted. The two D rings to have a stop; two rivets in each end of girth; no cross sewing; and all the stitching throughout the sets will not be less than eight (3) stitches to the inch. The stirrup boods will be omitted. The carbine's socket strap is to be riveted with two No. 12 copper rivets. The trees are to be subject to inspection during all stages of their manufacture, and, if deemed necessary, the leather to be used in the fabrication of these equipments to be inspected before cutting. ecvipments to be inspected before cutting.
The final inspection will be made at the arsenal Deliveries must be made in lots of not less than

one - tenth per week of the whole amount contracted for; the first delivery to be made on the Failure to make deliveries at a specified time will subject the contractor to a forfeiture of the number he may fail to deliver at that time. No bids will be considered other than from parties who are known to be regular manufacturers, and who are capable of executing in their own shops the work proposed for.

Bidders will state explicity the Arsenal at which they propose to deliver, and the number of sets they propose to deliver at each place, if for more than one

Forms of bid can be obtained at any of the above arsenals, or at this office.
Proposals not made out on this form will not be

GUARANTY The bidder will be required to accompany his proposition with a guaranty, signed by two responsible persons, that in case his bid is accepted, he will at once execute the contract for the same, with good and sufficient sureties, in a sum equal to the whole amount of the contract to deliver the articles proposed, in conformity with the terms of this advertisement; and in case the said bidder should fail to enter into the contract, they to make good the difference between the offer of said bidder and the next responsible bidder, or the person to whom the contract may be awarded.

The responsibility of the guarantors must be shown by the official certificate of the clerk of the nearest District Court, or of the United States Dis-Bonds in a sum equal to the amount of the con-tract, signed by the centractor and both of his guarantors, will be required of the successful bid-der or hidden many significant.

der or bidders upon signing the contract. FORM OF GUARANTY. We, the undersigned residents of ---, in the county of ---, and State of ---, hereby, jointly and severally, covenant with the United States, and guarantee, in case the foregoing bid of

be awarded.

Given under our hands and seals
this — day of —, 136.
[Seal.] Proposals will be addressed to "Brigadier General George D. Ramsay, Chief of Ordnance, Washington, D. C.," and endorsed "Proposals for Horse Equipments."

GEO. D. RAMSAY, jy 30-7teo Brig General, Chief of Ordnance,

DROPOSALS FOR RATIONS.

Quartermaster's Office U. S. Marine Corps, Washington, July 16, 1864.

Sealed Proposals will be received at this office notil 2 o'clock p. m., of the 4th day of August next for furnishing rations to the United States Marines, at the following stations, until the 31st December 1864 viz.

rines, at the following stations, until the 31st December, 1834. viz:

Brooklyn. New York.

Philadelphia, Pennsylvania,

Washington. District of Columbia.

Each ration to consist of three fourths of a pound of pork or bacon or one and a fourth pound of fresh or salt beef; eighteen ounces of bread or flour, or twelve ounces of hard bread, or one and a fourth pound of corn meal; and at the rate to one hundred rations of eight quarts of beans; or, in lieu thereof, ten pounds of rice; or, in lieu thereof twice per week, one hundred and fifty ounces of desicated potatoes, and one hundred ounces of mixed vegetables; ten pounds of coffee; or, in lieu thereot, one and a half pound of tea; fifteen pounds of sugar; four quarts of vinegar; one pound of sperm candles, or one and one-fourth pound of adamantine candles; or one and a half pound of tallow, four pounds of soap, and two quarts of salt.

The rations to be delivered upon the order of the Commanding Officer of each station; the fresh beef, Commanding Officer of each station; the fresh beef, either in bulk or by the single ration, of good quality, with an equal proportion of the fore and hind quarters, necks and kidney—tallow excluded; the pork, No. 1 prime mess pork; the floor, extra superfine; the coffee, good Rio; the sugar,

good New Orleans or its equivalent; and the beans, vinegar, canales, soap, salt, &c., to be of good All subject to inspection.
All bids must be accompanied by the following

guarantee. FORM OF GUARANTY. The undersigned, ____, of ___, in the State o ___, snd ___, of ___, in the State of ____, hereby guarantee that in case the foregoing bid of _____ for rations, as above described, be accepted, he or they will, within ten days after the receipt of the contract at the post office named, execute the contract for the same, with good and sufficient securities; and in case the said ——shall fail to enter into contract as aforesaid, we guaranty to make good the difference between the offer of the

witness.

E. F.

and that which may be accepted.

A. B. Guarantor.
C. D. Guarantor. I hereby certify that the above-named known to me as men of property, and able to make good their guarantee.

To be signed by the United States District Judge, United States District Attorney, or Colproposal will be considered unless accompanied by the above guarantee.

Newspapers authorized to publish the above will send the paper containing the first insertion to this office for examination.

Proposals to be endorsed "Proposals for Rations

Proposals to be endorsed for 1854," and addressed to the undersigned.

W. B. SLACK. Major and Quartermaster. A DAMS EXPRESS COMPANY, OFFICE 514 PA. AVENUE, Washington, D. c.

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C. C. DUNN, Agent,
Washington, D. C.

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CAPTAIN BRAND, OF THE "CENTIPEDE;"
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FRANCK TAYLORS

DROPOSALS FOR FLOUR. Office Depot Commissary of Subsistence, Washington. D. C., July 30, 1884.

SEALED PROPOSALS are invited until August 4th, at 12 o'check m., for farnishing the Subsistence Department with TWO THOUSAND (2,000) BARRELS OF FLOUR.

The proposals will be for what is known at this Depot as Nos. 1, 2 and 3, and bids will be entertained for any quantity less than the whole.

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Bids must be in duplicate, and for each grade on The delivery of the Flour to commence within five days from the opening of the bids, and in such quantities, daily, as the Government may direct; delivered at the Government warehouse in Georgetown, at the wharves or railroad depot in Washington, D. C.

The delivery of all Flour awarded to be completed within twenty days from the opening of the Payment will be made in certificates of indebtedness, or such other funds as the Government may have for disbursement.

The usual Government inspection will be made just before the Flour is received, and none will be accepted which is not fresh ground.

An oath of allegiance must accompany the bid of each bidder who has not the oath on file in this office, and no bid will be entertained from parties who have previously failed to camply with their bids, or from bidders not present to respond.

Government reserves the right to reject any bid

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Bids to be addressed to the undersigned, at No.

223 G street, endorsed "Proposals for Flour."

S. C. GREENE.

Captain and C. S. V. DROPOSALS FOR MATERIALS FOR THE NAVY.

NAVY DEPARTMENT, Bureau of Steam Engineering, July 10, 1864. Sealed Proposals to furnish materials for the Navy for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1855, will be received at the Bureau of Steam Engineering until 16 o'clock of the 12th day of August next, at at which time the opening will be commenced.

Proposals must be endorsed "Proposals for Materials for the Navy," that they may be distinguished from other business letters, and directed to the Chief of the Bureau of Steam Engineering. The materials and articles embraced in the classes named are particularly described in the printed schedules, any of which will be farnished to such as desire to offer, on application to the commandants of the respective yards, or to the navy agent nearest thereto, and those of all the yards upon application to the Bureau.

This division into classes being for the convenience of dealers in each, such classes only will be furnished as are actually required for bids. The commandant and navy agent for each station will, in addition to the schedule of classes of their own yards, have a copy of the schedules of the other yards, for examination only, from which may be judged whether it will be desirable to make application for any of the classes of those yards. All other things being equal, preference will be given to articles of American manufacture. Offers must be made for the whole of the classat any yard upon one of the printed schedules, or in strict conformity therewith, or they will not be

Upon application to the Bureau, to the Com-mandant of any yard, or to any Navy Agent, the form of offer, of guarantee, and other necessary information respecting the proposals will be fur-The contract will be awarded to the lowest bidder who gives proper guarantees as required by the law of 10th August, 1846, the Navy Department reserving the right to reject the lowest bid, if deemed exorbitant The contracts will bear date the day the notification is given and deliveries can be demanded

from that date.
Sureties in the full amount will be required to sign the contract, and their responsibility certi-fied to by a United States district judge. United States district attorney, collector, or navy agent. As additional security, twenty per centum will be withheld from the amount of the bills until the contract shall have been completed; and eighty per centum of each bill, approved in triplicates by the commandants of the respective yards, will be paid by the navy agents at the points of delivery, in funds or certificales, at the option of the Gov-ernment, within ten days after the warrant for the same shall have been passed by the Secretary of the The following are the classes required at the re-

KITTERY, MAINE.

Class No. 1, boiler iron, &c.; No. 2, pig iron; No. 3, boiler felting; No. 4, gum packing, &c.; No. 5, sperm oil; No. 6, linseed oil, &c.; No. 7, lard oil; No. 8, metallic oil; No. 9, tallow and soap; No. 10, or specific transports. No. 8, metallic oil; No. 9, tallow and soap; No. 10, engineers' stores; No. 11, engineers' tools; No. 12, engineers' instruments; No 14, wrought fron pine, &c.; No. 15, tubes: No. 16, steel; No. 17, iron nails, bolts, and nuts; No. 18, copper; No. 19, tin, &c.; No. 20, white lead; No 2, zinc paint; No. 22, colored paints; No. 23, stationery; No. 24, firewood; No. 34, cotton waste, packing, &c.; No. 35, engineers' states neers' stores CHARLESTOWN, MASS.

CHARLESTOWN, MASS.
Class No. 1, boiler iron and rivets; No. 2, pig
iron; No. 3, boiler felting; No. 4, gum packing,
rubber hose, &c.; No. 5, sperm oil; No. 6, linseed
oil and turpentine; No. 7, lard oil; No. 8, metallic
oil; No. 9, tallow and soap; No. 10, engineers'
stores; No. 11, engineers' tools; No. 12, engineers'
instruments; No. 13, steam pumps; No. 14, wrought
iron pine values &c. No. 15, tables, tools iron pipe, valves, &c; No. 15, tubes; No. 16, steel; No. 17 iron nails, holts, nuts, &c; No. 18, copper; No. 19 tin, zinc, &c.; No. 20, white lead; No. 21, zinc paint; No. 22, celored paints, dryers, &c.; No. 23, stationery; No. 25, hickory and ash plank and buts. No. 25 white lead; No. 26 the lead; No. 27 the lead of the lead. buts: No. 26, white pine; No. 31, hemp and cotton packing, &c.; No. 35, engineers' stores, &c. BROOKLYN, N. Y.

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Class No. 1, boiler iron; No. 2, pig iron; No. 3, boiler felting; No. 4, gum packing, rubber hose, &c.; No. 5, spermoil; No. 6, linseed oil, turpentine, alcohol, &c.; No. 7, lard oil; No. 8, lubricating or metallic oils; No. 9, tallow and soap; No. 10, engineers' stores; No. 11, engineers' tools; No. 12, engineers' instruments; No. 13, steam pumps; No. 14, wrought iron pipes, valves, &c.; No. 15, tubes; No. 16, steel; No. 17, iron nails, boits, nuts, &c.; No. 18, copper; No. 19, tin, zinc, lead, &c; No. 20, white lead; No. 21, zinc paint; No. 22, colored paints, dryers, &c.; No. 23, stationery; No. 24, the wood; No. 25, bickory and ash plank and butts; No. 26, white pine; No. 27, black walnut and cherry; No. 26, white pine; No. 27, black walnut and cherry; No. 28, manogany, white holley; No. 29, lanterus; No. 30, lignumvite; No. 31, drudgeons, pumps, &c.; No. 32, sour flour, crucibles &c.; No. 33, patented articles; No. 34, cotton and hemp packings, &c.; ed articles: No. 34, cotton and hemp packings, &c.;

No. 35 engineer stores. PHILADELPHIA.

Class No. 1, boiler iron, &c; No. 3, boiler felting; No. 4, gum packing, rubber hose, &c; No. 5, sperm oil; No. 6, Linseed oil and turpentine; No. 7, lard oil, No. 9, tallow, soap, &c; No. 10, engineers' stores; No. 11, engineers' tools; No. 12, engineers' instruments; No. 14, wrought iron pipes, valves, &c.; No. 15, tubes; No. 16, steel; No. 17, iron nails, bolts and nuts; No. 18, copper; No. 19, tin, &c.; No. 20, white lead; No. 21, zinc paint; No. 22, colored paints and dryers; No. 23, stationery; No. 24, fire wood; No. 34 cotton and hemp packing,&c.; No. 35, engineers' stores, &c. PHILADELPHIA

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Class No. 1, boiler iron, &c.: No. 2, pig iron; No. 3, boiler felting, &c.; No. 4, gum packing, rubber hose, &c.; No. 5, sperm oil; No. 6, linseed oil and turpentine; No. 7, lard oil; No. 8, lumber; No. 9, tailow and soap; No. 10, engineers' stores; No. 11, engineers' tools: No. 12, engineers' instruments; No. 13, steam pumps; No. 14, wrought iron pipe, valves, &c.; No. 15, tubes: No. 16, steel; No. 17, iron nails, bolts, nuts, &c.; No. 18, copper; No. 19, tin, lead and zinc: No. 20, white lead; No. 21, zinc paint; No. 22, colored paints, dryets, &c.; Ne. 23, stationery; No. 24, fire wood; No. 34, cotton and

hemp packing, &c.; No. 35, engineers' stores. THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE, That the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Washington county, in the District of Columbia, tters of administration on the personal estate Charles J. Uhlman, late of Washington city, D. C., deceased. All persons having claims against the said deceased, are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, on or before the 9th day of July next; they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit

of the said estate Given under my hand this 9th day of July , 1864.
jy 15-law3w* MINA UHLMAN, THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE, That the sub-scriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court Washington County, in the District of Columbia, letters testamentary on the personal estate of John Hayre, late of Washington City, D. C., deceased. All persons having claims against the said deceased, are hereby warned to exhibit the said deceased, are hereby warned to exhibit
the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the subseriber, on or before the 26th day of July next;
they may otherwise by law be excluded from all
benefit of the said estate.
Given under my hand this 26th day of July, 1864,
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W. H. LANGLEY.

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE, That the subscri-

ber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Washington County, in the District of Columbia, letters testamentary on the personal estate of John Sioussa, late of Washington City, D. C., deceased. All persons having claims against the said deceased, are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, on or before the 9th day of July next; they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said exter. the said estate. Given under my hand this 9th day of July, 1864. ty 12-law3w MARY SIOUSSA. THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE, That the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Washington county, in the District of Columbia.

letters testamentary on the personal estate of John Smith, late of Washington city, D. C., deceased. All persons baving claims against the said deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, on or before the 30th day of July next: they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate. the said estate. Given under my hand this 30th day of July, 1854. au 1-lawsw H. C. BAKER. THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE, That the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Washington county, in the District of Columbia, letters of administration on the personal estate of the county, D. Joseph Reynolds, late of Washington county, D., C., deceased. All persons having claims against the said deceased, are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, on or before the 3th day of July next; they may otherwise, by law, be excluded from all bene-

fits of the said estate.
Given under my hand this 3sth of July, 1864.
Test:
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Register of Wills. THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE, That the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Washington county, in the District of Columbia. letters of administration on the personal estat of Casper A. Casper late of Washington city, D. C. of Casper A. Casper late of Washington city, D. C., deceased. All persons having claims against the said deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, on or before the 28th day of June next; they may etherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate.

Given under my hand this 28th day of June A. D. 1864. [je 29-law3w*] MARY CASPER. A UDUBON'S BIRDS OF NORTH AMERICA.
In five vols., royal ectavo of text, and one
magnificent folio volume of plates, (size 27 by 40
inches.) in fine binding. For sale—one copy only;

MAP OF RICHMOND AND SURROUNDING country, showing rebel fortideations; 50 cents.

FRANCE TAYLOR

price \$300. by H JMAE

PROPOSALS.

ORDNANCE OFFICE, WASHINGTON, July 13, 1864.
Sealed Proposals will be received at this office until WEDNESDAY, August 3, at 4 p. m., for 12-pounder Projectiles, to be delivered as follows, vig:

PULL

8,000 12-pennder Shell, and
14,000 12-pounder Spherical Case,
at each of the following arsenals:
Watervleit Arsenal, West Troy, N. Y.,
Watertown Arsenal, Massachusetts, and
Alleghany Arsenal, Pittsburg, Penna,
2,000 12-pounder Solid Shot,
6,000 12-pounder Shell, and
8,000 12-pounder Spherical Case,
at the St. Louis Arsenal, Mo.
These projectiles are to be made of the kind of
metal, and inspected after the rules laid down in
the Ordnance Manual; the tensile strength of the
iron to be not less than 14,000 pounds per square
inch.

The projectiles are to be inspected at the foundry where cast, and are to be delivered at the arsenals free of charge for transportation or hand Bidders will state the rate at which they will de-

feiture of the number he may fail to deliver at that Bidders will state explicitly the arsenal or arsepals where they propose to deliver, and the number of projectiles they propose to deliver at each place, it for more than one.

No bids will be considered from parties other than regular founders or proprietors of works, who are known to this Decartment to be capable of ex-

Forms of bid can be obtained at the above named arsenals. Proposals not made out on this form will not be considered.

GUARANTY.

The bidder will be required to accompany his proposition with a guaranty, signed by two responsible persons, that, in case his bid is accepted, he will at once execute the contract for the same, with good and sufficient sureties, in a sum equal to the amount of the contract, to deliver the article proposed, in conformity with the terms of this ad-vertisement; and in case the said bidder should fail to enter into the contract, they to make good the difference between the offer of said bidder and the next responsible bidder, or the person to whom The responsibility of the guaranters must be shown by the official certificate of the Clerk of the

nearest District Court, or of the United States District Attorney. Bonds in the sum equal to the amount of the contract, signed by the contractor and both of his guarantors, will be required of the successful bidder or bidders upon signing the contract. FORM OF GUARANTEE.

We, the undersigned, residents of ____, in the county of ____, and State of ____, hereby jointly and severally covenant with the United States and and severally covenant with the United States and guarantee, in case the foregoing bid of —— be accepted, that he or they will at once execute the contract for the same, with good and sufficient sureties, in a sum equal to the amount of the contract, to furnish the articles proposed in conformity with the terms of this advertisement, dated July 13, 1864, under which the bid was made; and, in case the waid —— shall fail to enter into a conin case the said ---- shall fail to enter into a contract as aforesaid, we guarantee to make good the difference between the offer of the said —— and the next lowest responsible bidder, or the person to whom the contract may be awarded.

Given under our hands and seals this --- day of --- , 186-

To this guaranty must be appended the official certificate above mentioned.

Each party obtaining a contract will be obliged to enter into bonds with approved sureties for the faithful execution of the same.

Upon the award being made, successful bidders will be notified and furnished with forms of con-The Department reserves the right to reject any or all the bids, if deemed unsatisfactory on any Account.

Proposals will be addressed to "Brigadier General George D. Ramsay, Chief of Ordnance, Washington, D. C.," and will be endorsed "Proposals for 12-pounder Projectiles."

GEORGE D. RAMSAY.

jy 14-coot Brig. Gen., Chief of Ordnance.

CHIEF QUARTERMASTER'S OFFICE. WASHINGTON DEPOT. Dec. 8, 1863. for supplying the U.S. Quartermaster's Department, at Washington, D.C., Baltimore, Md., Alexandria, and Fort Monroe, Va., or either of these places, with Hay, Corn, Oats and Straw.

Bids will be received for the delivery of 5,000 bushels of corn or externed for th bushels of corn or oats and 50 tons of hay or straw.

The particular kind or description of dats, corn, hay or straw proposed to be delivered most be atted in the proposals.

All the articles offered under the bids herein invited will be subject to a rigid inspection by the Government Inspector before being accepted.

Contracts will be awarded from time to time to the lowest responsible bidder, as the interest of the Government may require and payment will be made when the whole amout contracted for shall have been solivered and accepted.

The bidder will be required to accompany his proposals with a guaranty, signed by two responsible persons that in case his bid is accepted he or they will, within ten days thereafter, execute the contract for the same, with good and sufficient sureties in a sum equal to the amount of the contract, to deliver the forage proposed in conformity with the terms of this advertisment; and in case the said bidder should fail to enter into the contract, they to make good the difference between the offer of said bidder and the next lowest responsible bidds, or the person to whom the contract

Attorney, Collector of Customs or any other officer under the United States Government or responsible person known to this office.

All bidders will be duly notified of the acceptance or rejection of their proposals.

(Town, County and State)

ne following articles. viz:
- bushels of Corn, in sacks, at - per bushel of --- bushels of Oats, in sacks, at --- per bushel of -- tone of Baled Hay, at -- per ton of 2,000 --- tons of Baled Straw, at --- per ton of 2,000

General Depot Quartermaster, Washington, D. Q. GUARANTY.

We, the undersigned, residents of ——, in the County of ——, and State of ——, hereby, jointly and severally, covenant with the United States, and guarantee in case the foregoing bid of —— be accepted, that he or they will, within ten days after the acceptance of said bid, execute the contract for the same with good and sufficient sureties, in a sum equal to the amount of the contract, to furnish the forage proposed in conformity to the terms of advertisement dated December 8, 1853, under which the bid was made, and, in case the said —— shall fail to enter into a contract as said —— shall fail to enter into a contract as aforesaid, we guarantee to make good the difference between the offer by said —— and the next lowest responsible bidder, or the person to whom

edge and belief, the above-named guarantors are good and sufficient as sureties for the amount for which they offer to be security.

To be certified by the United States District Attorney, Collector of Customs, or any other officer under the United States Government, or responsible arrangements this office.

CHIEF QUARTERMASTER'S OFFICE,

DEPORT OF WASHINGTON,

Washinston, D. C., January 4, 1864.

All dealers in Drugs, Hardware, Lumber, Leather,
Office Furniture, Harness, and Saddlery, are requested to send to this office, on MONDAY of each
week, a sealed proposal or list, in duplicate, of the
articles they are prepared to furnish to this Depot at
short notice, with the price of each marked in plain
figures, so that, in case the exigencies of the service
require it, the article or articles can be obtained
without delay, and at the lowest price.

Dealers wishin to sell to this Depot will be required to furnish the list punctually every Monday
morning.

D. H. RUCKER,

Brigadier General and Chief Quartermaster,
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Depot of Washington.

Fron Tables.

Berivenor on the Iron Trade. London.

French's Iron Trade of the United States.

Beecraft's Companion to the Iron Trade. Len-Hogg's Iron Trades' Guide. London.
The Manufacture of Iron.
Truran on the Manufacture of Iron.
Overman on the Manufacture of Iron.
Fairbairn's Information for Bugineers.
iy 20' FRANCK TAYLOR: THE MERCHANT'S AND BANKER'S ALMA
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PRANCE TAYLORS

IN FROM ONE TO TWO DAYS.

A CURE WARRANTED OR NO CHARGE

anticipations, rendering marriage, &c., impossi-YOUNG MEN

TAKE PARTICULAR NOTICE. These are some of the sad and melancholy effects produced by early habits of youth, viz: Weakness of the Back and Limbs. Pain in the Head, Dimness of Sight, Loss of Muscular Power, Palpitation of the Heart, Dyspepsia, Nervous Irritability, Berangement of the Digestive Functions, General Debility, Symptoms of Consumption, &c.

MENTALITY.—The fearful effects on the mind are much to be dreaded—Loss of Memory, Confusion of Ideas, Depression of Spirits, Evil Forebodings, Aversion te Society, Self-distrust, Love of Solitude, Timidity, &c.

ORGANIC WEAKNESS, IMPOTENCY IMPEDI-MENTS TO MARRIAGE

DR. JOHNSON,
Member of the Royal College of Surgeons, London, Graduste from one of the most eminent Colleges in the United States, and the greater part of whose life has been spent in the hospitals of London, Paris, Philadelphia and elsewhere, has effected. some of the most astonishing cures that were ever known; many troubled with ringing in the head

who have injured themselves by a certain practice indulged in when alone—a habit frequently learned from evil companions, or at school, the effects of which are nightly felt, even when asleep, and, if not cured, renders marriage impossible, and destroys both mind and body, should apply immediately.

SECRET DISEASES! SECRET DISEASES

GONORHEA, GLERT, STRICTURES, 40 Contains no Mineral, no Balsam, no Mercury.

BLOOD! BLOOD!! BLOOD!!
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